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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: ROHDE, W. et al Conf.: 1520
Appl. No.: 09/485,131 Group: 1634
Filed: June 22, 2000 Examiner: JOHANNSEN, D.
For: THE USE OF PRIMERS FOR UNIVERSAL
FINGERPRINT ANALYSIS

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

March 12, 2003

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Reply to Notice of Non-Responsive
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- Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.
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INDEPENDENT	1	-	2	=	0	\$ 42	\$0.00
<u> FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE CLAIM</u>						\$140	\$0.00
						TOTAL	\$0.00

Petition for _____ () month(s) extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a). _____ for the extension of time.

No fee is required.

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Respectfully submitted,

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REPLY TO NOTICE OF NON-RESPONSIVE AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

March 13, 2003

Sir:

In reply to the Notice of Non-Responsive Amendment dated February 10, 2003, Applicant hereby submits a clean and marked up copy of the amended claims presented in Applicant's response filed on November 22, 2002.